

Safe travels this holiday

Holidays will be here soon, so now is a good time to remind families about Child Car Restraint laws in WA. Young children need the right car seat for their age, correctly fitted to travel safely in a car. Adult seats and seatbelts alone are not safe for small children.

The Child Car Restraint laws tell us the type of car seats to use at different ages.

- **0-6 months** (minimum): children must be restrained in a rearward facing child restraint.
- 6 months 4 years: children must be restrained in either a rearward or forward facing child restraint with an inbuilt harness.
- 4-7 years: children must be restrained in either a forward facing child restraint with inbuilt harness or booster seat restrained by a correctly adjusted and fastened seat belt or child harness.

For more information please visit the Roadwise website: http://www.roadwise.asn.au/child-car-restraints.aspx or call the Child Car Restraint Information Line on 1300 780 713.

You can find registered Type One Child Car Restraint Fitters in the Wheatbelt and throughout the state here: http://www.roadwise.asn.au/childrestraints/.